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CINCUSNAVEUR COMSIXTHFLEET 13 FEB

QUOTE

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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: MOROCCAN OBSERVERS AT SIXTH FLEET EXERCISE IN
ITALY

REF: ROME 1783 (031501Z FEB 76); RABAT 597 (040917 FEB
76); CINCUSNAVEUR 030029Z FEB 76 (NOTAL); COMSIXTFLT
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1. DEPARTMENT BELIEVES ADVANTAGES OF MOROCCAN PARTICIPA-
TION NOTED IN RABAT 597 OUTWEIGH POSSIBLE PUBLICITY RISKS
ALLUDED TO IN ROME 1783.

2. THUS, DEPARTMENT SUGGESTS EMBASSY ROME SEND ITS
CONCURRENCE DIRECTLY TO CINCUSNAVEUR AND EMBASSY RABAT
UNLESS IT BELIEVES ITALIANS WILL OBJECT TO INVITATION.

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3. IF ASKED, EMBASSY SHOULD STATE THAT INVITATION
CARRIES NO RPT O POLITICAL IMPLICATION VIS-A-VIS

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